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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS**

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated June 16, 2006, Applicants attach herewith an executed Declaration, Power of Attorney, and Petition in compliance with 37 C.F.R. §1.497(a) and (b) and Form PTO-1533.

Applicants do not believe that any fees are due in connection with this response. However, if such petition is due or any other fees are necessary, the

Commissioner may consider this to be a request for such and charge any necessary fees to Deposit Account No. 23-3000.

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## NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Indication of Small Entity Status
- Copy of the International Application filed on 10/06/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 10/06/2005
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 10/06/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 10/06/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 10/06/2005
- Oath or Declaration filed on 10/06/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 10/06/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 10/06/2005
- Non-English Language Application filed on 10/06/2005
- Specification filed on 10/06/2005
- Claims filed on 10/06/2005
- Abstracts filed on 10/06/2005
- Drawings filed on 10/06/2005

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
  - is not executed in accordance with either 37 CFR 1.66 or 37 CFR 1.68.

**ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION,**

**WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.**

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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